

ASAMM-Chukchi – Flight 215 – 3 August 2015

Area flown: Transects 29, 30, 31, 32, partial; transects 38, 39, complete.

Total hours flown: 6.1

Total transect hours: 1.5

Number of bowhead whales seen: 0 (no calves)

Weather and visibility: Skies were partly cloudy to overcast. Sea state ranged from Beaufort 2-6. Visibility ranged from 0-10 km with glare, haze and low ceilings. There was no sea ice in the area surveyed. Offshore fog and high sea states in the survey area curtailed further effort. Sightings: none

Preliminary Summary, Flight 215 Date: 8/3/2015

Total bowhead whales: 0	Start time: 8/3/2015 9:55:20 AM	End time: 8/3/2015 4:54:15 PM
Bowhead whale sightings: 0	Transect minutes: 92	Transect km: 344.4
Bowhead whales on transect: 0	Circling minutes: 0	Circling km: 0
Bowhead whale cow-calf pairs: 0	Trans+Circ minutes: 92	Trans+Circ km: 344.4
Bowhead whale cow-calf pairs on transect: 0	Search minutes: 42	Search km: 162.3
Bowhead whale repeats: 0	Total minutes: 365	Total km: 1758.2
Possible repeats: 0	Deadhead minutes: 231	Deadhead km: 1251.5
Total gray whales: 0	Search blocks: 22, 23	
Total belugas: 0	Transect blocks: 22, 23	
Other whale sightings: 0		
Total walrus: 0		
Total polar bears: 0		

Cetacean Sightings: none

